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SUBJECT: SWEDEN REQUESTS HELP REGARDING SWEDISH CASUALTY IN
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Classified By: Polcouns Casey Christensen for reasons 1.4 (b) and (d).

(S) Polcouns was called in to the MFA April 17 by Americas Director Hakan Malmqvist and Consular and Civil Law Deputy Director Helmer Broberg regarding the case of Swedish citizen Fethi Hamid Darir, who may have been among a group of individuals killed in Somalia June 1, 2007, as the result of a counterterrorism operation conducted by the authorities in Puntland, and about whom we have informed Sweden (reftels). Sweden requests U.S. help in obtaining Fethi's passport, which was apparently recovered after the operation. According to Malmqvist and Broberg, Sweden has approached the U.S. Embassy in Nairobi and was informed it had no information regarding the passport, and now requests assistance from Washington in obtaining the passport. Please advise.
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